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1. John Bross telephoned to say that he had just received a request from [REDACTED] to amend the Fiscal Year 1964 Congressional budget to provide for three executive-type automobiles. John objected to doing this unless it was very urgent. I told him that I did not consider it to be urgent for Fiscal Year 1964 but that it certainly would be in Fiscal Year 1965.

2. Matt Baird advised me that Congressman Broyhill's Administrative Assistant had telephoned the Office of Logistics to inquire about CIA occupancy of a part of the Broyhill Building. [REDACTED] has been contacted, and it was decided to brief Congressman Broyhill and his Administrative Assistant. (I concurred in this action.)

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5. At the Executive Committee Meeting this morning there was an informal discussion among Sherman Kent, Larry Houston, and myself about employment of [REDACTED]. His retired pay is \$20,500 per year and therefore he cannot accept any pay from the Agency.

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He would be willing to work for us if we would provide transportation to and from his quarters. I told Sherman that we could work this out in some way if this was what it took to get him and suggested that we consider the possibility of loaning him a car.

6. At the Senior Staff Meeting this morning Emmett Echols handed me a note summarizing a conversation which he had recently with an employee of the Bureau of the Budget. In effect, this employee alleged that [REDACTED] while still on the payroll, had no duties at CIA and spent two or three days a week playing golf. I have talked to Harold about this. In the first place, he said that he had played one round of golf in the last ten years and that he did not know how any such impression could have been gained unless it was through an interview with Mr. Pettibone about a job with the Bureau of the Budget. At this interview he told Mr. Pettibone that he was between jobs and had been authorized to use part of his time to seek employment outside CIA. I emphasized to him that he must under no circumstances give the impression that he had no duties at CIA. I have also discussed this with [REDACTED] and have emphasized to him that I wanted Harold to have a full workload at all times.

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7. I talked with [REDACTED] who said he was having lunch on Wednesday, 29 May, with [REDACTED] I told John that he should insist that George give him an answer as to whether or not he wanted him in his employ and that I would be interested in hearing from him after the luncheon on Wednesday.

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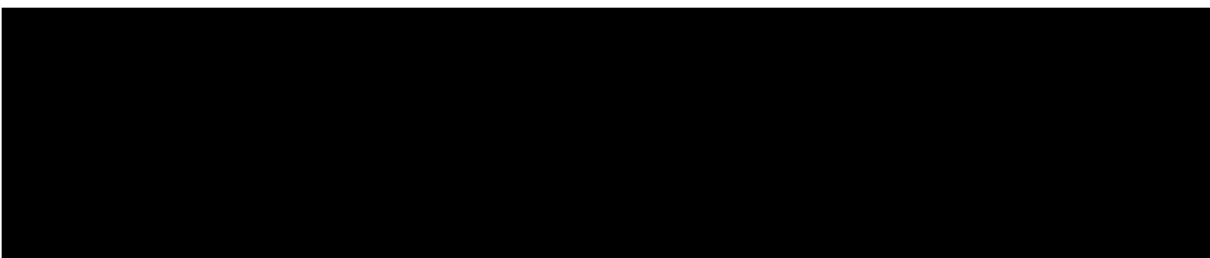
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10. I had a message from [REDACTED] saying that Dick Helms had concurred in my plan to transfer [REDACTED] the position of Executive Officer to the Deputy Director (Support) and [REDACTED] to the position of Special Support Assistant to the Deputy Director (Support). (I have notified Vernon and Jack.)

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11. I spoke to General Carter about [REDACTED] He said that he had not had a chance yet to discuss this matter with Dick Helms but would do so this week.

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